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The government will pay off \$900,000 of debt and live per cent bonds in July and August. It is this prospective glut that upsets the bears in New York.

Subscribers: Herald: A subscriber writes to know "why tea stores are so full of tea." It is because the proprietors of these stores employ men to plant them that color.

The best new potatoes are selling in Wheeling at \$1 per barrel and indifferent at \$1.50. The Gazette of yesterday says that the market there is "heavy under large arrivals." New tomatoes are selling at \$2 and \$3 per bushel crate.

There were symptoms of a freak in the dead lock at Albany yesterday so far as a successor to Platt is concerned. It is intimated in the despatches that a precipitate adjournment alone prevented Depew's election. It is this case, we may see an election to-day. With Platt out of the way the Legislature would be in formidable array to pass on the fortifications of the "Rock."

Yesterday's heavy rain in this region was very likely to do serious injury to the wheat in its present condition, as this is the stage when it can be very readily struck with rust. The rain, followed by a hot sun, forces the milk upward faster than it can be assimilated and it bursts through the stalk and thus causes the kernel to ultimately shrivel.

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A recent despatch from Philadelphia says that a business firm in that city received a letter from one B. F. Reichly, of Dauphin county, from which a few sentences are copied:

"I have what I call good risks. One at 60, a woman; can't do any work whatever, and is already full in eight companies; has cancer in side. Have a good risk of 60 in twelve companies; has a running nose inside; doctor says as soon as it starts she is gone; is an old child and yet other good risks; don't take any that I think will live long. I can furnish all you can sell if you sell every day full in one county."

Does this seem incredible? Perhaps; and yet it may be tested by a notice which actually appeared in the York Daily, that "the directors of the poor of the York County Home have decided that from and after this date no life insurance agents will be permitted to enter said institution for the purpose of soliciting insurance from any of the inmates without the written consent of the board of directors."

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A NARROW ESCAPE.

FROM ELECTING DEPEW SENATOR. An Adjournment Affected in the Nick of Time—Movements and Remarks of Grant, Conkling and Platt—The Votes Yesterday.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 20.—The joint assembly met at noon to-day to vote for two U. S. Senators to fill the unexpired terms of Conkling and Platt, resigned.

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SIN ROBERT TICHBORNE.

Believed to Have Been Really Found at Last—Or Is It Another Arthur Orton? SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The Examiner this morning publishes an interview with General W. H. Barnes, the general purport of which is that the real Roger Tichborne has at last turned up and has unfolded his story to General Barnes. In an interview with the latter to-day, he confirms the report, and alleges that Tichborne came to him for certain information as to how he could best obtain documentary evidence to show that he had never been in Rio Janeiro; had never left there in the vessel Bella, and had never been wrecked and picked up by the Spray, as stated by Arthur Orton, the Tichborne claimant.

Barnes subjected his visitor to a rigid examination of several days, during which he held out every story, including so many points in which Orton failed, and others which did not come in the trial, and exhibited physically such identity with the lost heir that the General says he has reluctantly arrived at the conclusion that either the Tichborne has turned up or the man in question is the most adroit swindler he has ever met in a long course of practice.

The Duke of Sutherland and Dr. Ball Russell also had an interview with the man, and a full statement of the case was made to England by Russell. Tichborne was a great portion of the time in the United States; served throughout the war and married in Brooklyn. He is now residing in the vicinity of San Diego, but will be in the city again in a few days. He says his absence is the result of a determination on his part to remain incognito for a certain number of years, now elapsed. This determination was brought about by a feeling of chagrin at the opposition to his marriage with his cousin Kate. The question of being able to establish his identity does not seem to give him the slightest concern, the sole object of his call on General Barnes being to obtain evidence to show the falsity of the report regarding the Rio Janeiro episode in the story.

Swimming Down the Mississippi. St. Louis, June 20.—Paul Boyton arrived here at five o'clock yesterday afternoon on his boat from St. Paul to Cairo. He was met a couple of miles above the bridge by two or three excursion steamers and a score or more of smaller boats, and accompanied by the crew of the latter to the foot of the city. Boyton was met by a large number of people, and was taken to the hotel. He was met by a large number of people, and was taken to the hotel. He was met by a large number of people, and was taken to the hotel.

THE TROUBLED TRIO. Grant, Conkling and Platt still at New York—Their Movements Yesterday.

NEW YORK, June 20.—General Grant and ex-Senators Conkling and Platt left their hotel at ten o'clock this morning and proceeded down town on business. Conkling's friends say his presence will not be required in Albany for the present, and he will thus be afforded an opportunity to attend to some legal business in this city in which he has been retained.

Grant's departure was unnoticed, and he appeared desirous to escape observation. Two stalwarts called on Conkling before he left the hotel, and it was decided that, as balloting to-day at the Capital would be a mere formality, the usual delegation might postpone their trip until to-morrow evening.

Conkling has utilized his leisure the past three days in completing evidence furnished him in connection with the bribery investigation. It was remarked by all who called to see Conkling that not since the commencement of the Senatorial contest has he appeared so cheerful. Contrary to his usual custom, he passed through the halls and corridors of the hotel, mingled freely with the guests and entertained visitors without any ceremony.

The general impression was that but for the bribery revelations this would be the last week of the session, as an adjournment will soon become desirable to all factions.

Ex-Senators Conkling and Platt left this evening for Albany.

GRANT AND GRANT. The Ex-President Got the President's Letter and About to Reply to It.

NEW YORK, January 21.—A reporter of the Times last night saw ex-President Grant in his apartments in the Fifth Avenue Hotel and asked him whether while in Mexico he received a letter from President Garfield in relation to the rupture between ex-Senators Conkling and Platt and the Administration.

General Grant said he did receive President Garfield's letter in reply to one sent by him to the President, in which he gave such expression of his views on the positions of Conkling and Platt toward the administration as he now maintains, as his opinion in that matter had undergone no change. He was on the steamer and about to leave the harbor of Vera Cruz, when the Postmaster of that city boarded the vessel and handed him the President's letter. This letter, he said, was in the desk in his office down town. His time had been so much occupied since his arrival in this city that he had not had an opportunity to write a reply to it, as it certainly required acknowledgment. It was certainly a most polite and friendly letter, he said, and he intends to reply to it at length, as it deserved to be treated. The General pointed to pen, ink and paper on a round table in the center of the room and said that he had already begun his answer to the President.

When asked whether he was willing to give the President's letter for publication, he said he did not feel it would be the proper thing for him to do. His attention was called to that part of the Washington dispatch which read that the President would decline to give the two letters for publication unless the consent of Gen. Grant was obtained. "The President has my free and full permission to publish the letters," said the General, adding: "My letter to him was not meant confidentially, and I feel perfectly free to give it to the newspapers." The General said the letters would explain themselves, and nothing further was necessary to be said on this point.

DAKOTA ROBBERY. A Stage Stopped and Rept Two Hours While the Mail Was Robbed.

GALVESTON, June 20.—The 'New' San Antonio special says: The north-bound stage on the San Antonio and Laredo line was stopped Saturday night near Rio station, on the line of the International & Great Northern railway, about twenty miles from here, by a band of masked men, who compelled two passengers to alight and assist in rifling the mail of checks and drafts. Post office money orders amounting to six thousand dollars were not taken. The stage was detained for two hours. The driver and passengers were not robbed of anything. It is thought the highwaymen are the same who robbed the stage between this city and Fredericksburg two weeks ago.

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NO CONFERENCE.

BETWEEN GARFIELD AND GRANT. To Come Off at Long Branch—Transatlantic French and the Central Pacific Road—Perplexities of the Virginia Straights, Etc., Etc.

Auditor FRENCH. And the Affairs of the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Railroad Auditor French and W. F. McLennan, Chief of the Warrent Division of the Treasury, returned Saturday from the Pacific coast, where they have been investigating the accounts of the Central Pacific Railroad. While French was absent District Attorney Woodford, of New York, who has charge of the suits instituted by the Government against the Central Pacific Railroad, telegraphed to the Attorney General for instructions, saying the suits were coming on for trial. The Attorney General replied that he had no instructions, and referred Woodford to French. In reply to a dispatch French telegraphed Woodford to ask for an extension for thirty days, and this was granted.

French took this action because he found upon investigation that the affairs of the Central Pacific were in a different condition from what he supposed. French is required by law to make a report to the Secretary of the Interior only after the closing of each year. He has prepared a complete statement of the amount the Central Pacific owes the Government on its annual settlement. He has the signatures of four of the principal stockholders to the statement, and as soon as the water of the Atlantic will permit, he will forward the statement to the Secretary of the Interior.

MURPHY'S MISTAKE. He can Claim no Credit for Bringing Grant and Garfield Together.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The idea of a rumored correspondence between President Garfield and General Grant, in regard to the Albany muds and a conference at Long Branch, is ridiculed here, as it is known at the White House and among the Cabinet that the Presidential trip to Long Branch was only decided on two days before the departure, and was settled by Dr. Boynton and the President. Hon. Tom Murphy, ex-collector of the Port of New York, called on the President week before last and told him that he would take great pleasure in securing apartments for the President's family at Long Branch, and the President, who told him he would be glad to have him do so, had no subsequent communication with Murphy on the subject.

VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS. To Decide To-day Upon Their Future Course as a Party.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 20.—The Republican State Central Committee of Virginia meets in Richmond to-morrow to consider the question of calling a State convention. Wickham and the straight ones claim to have nineteen of the twenty-seven members here, and probably more than that number. The Republicans have been working for a coalition with the Democrats, but the latter have refused to do so. The straight ones are trying to get prominent Republicans to write letters endorsing the coalition, to be read at the meeting of the committee. Several members of the Cabinet have been invited to declare themselves in favor of the coalition, but have declined. Some letters and telegrams from leading Republicans of the country will, it is said, be laid before the committee, advising a coalition.

THE TILTON FAMILY. Mr. Beecher Assisted by the Mother-in-Law in the Case.

NEW YORK, June 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Tilden recently became a grandmother, a child having been born to her daughter Florence, who resides in London. Her second daughter, Alice, it is said will be married this summer while her father is in Europe. Mrs. Tilden is still living in the house in Brooklyn, which her husband bought for her several years ago. Her mother, Mrs. Morse, her son Carroll, who has abandoned the study of law for the ministry, and has obtained a position in a mercantile house, and her youngest son, Ralph, live with her. Mrs. Tilden has not visited his wife for two years. Mrs. Morse, it is said, recently astonished Beecher by appearing in a new in Plymouth Church at memorial services held in connection with Mrs. Olvington's death.

GRINCON'S FARE. It is Well Voted that He Will Succeed in His Undertaking.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Grison has fully recovered from Saturday's indisposition and is to-day pronounced in almost perfect health. Dr. R. A. Green, of New York, who superintended the Tanner fare, has made a thorough examination of Grison and thinks there is no doubt he will fast the forty days or so. An analysis of the blood reveals only 2,000 corpuscles to the cubic millimeter instead of 6,500, as previously, but the sudden change is apparently without effect. He slept six hours and a half continuously last night. This morning's examination shows a gain of four-fourths of a pound in the past twenty-four hours; respiration 16; temperature 98.10, pulse 62 and of good volume.

THE STRIKING TELEGRAPH OPERATORS. London, June 20.—In his reply to the Postmaster General's report proposing improvements in the pay of the telegraph operators, the Treasury further states that it entirely agrees with Mr. Fawcett in the opinion that the great body of telegraph operators are simply misled in being encouraged to contend, because the telegraph act of 1868 has declared that such of them as are transferred from the service of the telegraph companies to that of the Postmaster General, should be deemed to be, to all intents and purposes, officers and clerks in the permanent civil service of the Crown, and they should be entitled to the same privileges, and therefore that they become entitled to be paid in conformity with a special scale rather than with any of the other numerous scales paid to thousands of persons who, like telegraphers, are in the permanent civil service.

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